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## ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND

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*Origin:* Anne Arundel County was created in 1650 (Chapter 8, Acts of 1650, April Session). The County was named for Lady Anne Arundell (1615-1649), daughter of Thomas Arundell of Wardour, and wife of Cecilius Calvert, Second Lord Baltimore and founder of the Maryland colony.

*County Seat:* Annapolis, MD 21401

*Form of Government:* Charter since 1964.

*Population:* 1990 census: 427,239; 2000 census: 489,656

### Websites:

Aging Dept.: [www.aacounty.org/aging](http://www.aacounty.org/aging)

Animal Control Division: [www.aacounty.org/animalcontrol/index.cfm](http://www.aacounty.org/animalcontrol/index.cfm)

Annapolis: [www.ci.annapolis.md.us](http://www.ci.annapolis.md.us)

Circuit Court: [www.circuitcourt.org](http://www.circuitcourt.org)

Community College: [www.aacc.edu](http://www.aacc.edu)

County Government: [www.aacounty.org](http://www.aacounty.org)

Detention Facilities Dept: [www.aacounty.org/detention](http://www.aacounty.org/detention)

Economic Development Corp.: [www.aedc.org](http://www.aedc.org)

Elections Board: [www.aacounty.org/bdofelections](http://www.aacounty.org/bdofelections)

Fire Dept.: [www.aacounty.org/fire](http://www.aacounty.org/fire)

Health Dept.: [www.aahealth.org](http://www.aahealth.org)

Inspections & Permits: [www.aacounty.org/ip](http://www.aacounty.org/ip)

Job Service: [www.dllr.state.md.us/county/anne/](http://www.dllr.state.md.us/county/anne/)

Land Use & Environment Office: [www.aacounty.org/landuse](http://www.aacounty.org/landuse)

Library: <http://web.aacpl.lib.md.us>

Permits Dept., Inspections &: [www.aacounty.org/ip](http://www.aacounty.org/ip)

Planning & Zoning: [www.aacounty.org/planzone](http://www.aacounty.org/planzone)

Police Dept.: [www.aacounty.org/police/index.cfm](http://www.aacounty.org/police/index.cfm)

Public Defender: [www.opd.state.md.us/locations/annapolis.htm](http://www.opd.state.md.us/locations/annapolis.htm)

Public Schools: [www.aacps.org](http://www.aacps.org)

Public Works Dept.: [www.aacounty.org/dpw](http://www.aacounty.org/dpw)

Recreation & Parks Dept.: [www.aacounty.org/recparks](http://www.aacounty.org/recparks)

Register of Wills: [www.registers.state.md.us/county/aa/html/annearundel.html](http://www.registers.state.md.us/county/aa/html/annearundel.html)

Social Services Dept.: [www.dhr.state.md.us/annearundel.htm](http://www.dhr.state.md.us/annearundel.htm)

State's Attorney: [www.statesattorney-annearundel.com](http://www.statesattorney-annearundel.com)

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### LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

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#### COUNTY COUNCIL

*Elected by Voters to 4-year terms:*

Ronald C. Dillon, Jr. (R), *Chair (chosen by Council in Dec., 1-year term), Councilmanic Dist. 3*

Edward R. Reilly (R), *Vice-Chair (chosen by Council in Dec., 1-year term), Councilmanic Dist. 7*

Pamela G. Beidle (D), *Councilmanic Dist. 1*

C. Edward Middlebrooks (R), *Councilmanic Dist. 2*

Bill D. Burlison (D), *Councilmanic Dist. 4*

Cathleen M. Vitale, Esq. (R), *Councilmanic Dist. 5*

Barbara D. Samorajczyk (D), *Councilmanic Dist. 6*

*Terms expire 2006.*

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### EXECUTIVE BRANCH

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#### COUNTY EXECUTIVE

*Elected by Voters to 4-year term:*

Janet S. Owens (D), *County Executive, 2006*

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#### CHIEF OF STAFF

*Appointed by County Executive:*

Alvin C. Collins, *Chief of Staff* (410) 222-1885

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#### ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

*Appointed by County Executive:*

Robert L. Walker, *Chief Administrative Officer*

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